

| Organization Name                                | Title of Program/Project                                    | Briefly explain the program/project.  |
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| <b>A Town Center, Inc.</b>                       | <b>Kid's Camp</b>   | A Town Center is looking for programming support for our Kid's Camp. We host four weeks of Kid's Camp annually. One week during Spring Break, one week during Fall Break and two weeks during the summer. The cost for a student to attend the entire week is \$100 or \$25 per day for a one time class. We would like to offer scholarships for children to attend camp free of charge, removing financial obstacles to them experiencing the arts. Kid's Camp is geared towards students in Kindergarten through 5th grade.  |
| <b>Alexandria Main Street Inc.</b>               | <b>Event Equipment for local Events and Non-Profits</b>     | Alexandria Main Street, INC will purchase equipment for events in downtown Alexandria. These items will allow our organization to put on events downtown and share with other non-profits. Needed equipment includes tents, tables and chairs.  |
| <b>Alternatives Incorporated</b>                 | <b>Therapeutic Services for Survivors</b>                   | Alternatives Incorporated is requesting funding to address the emotional, psychological, and physical needs of domestic and sexual violence survivors, while assisting them in stabilizing their lives and planning for the future. Funding will specifically be used to purchase furniture and supplies for support, education, and therapy groups, as well as equipment needed to upgrade the security system and cameras.  |
| <b>Anderson Education Foundation</b>             | <b>Essential Student Needs and Opportunity Fund for ACS</b> | Students' needs outside the classroom often can and will get in the way of completing their high school diplomas and higher educational attainment, unless there are resources to reduce those obstacles. The Anderson Education Foundation created an "Opportunity Fund" to address these needs through ACS' D26 Career Campus, whereby students have applied through their Principal Jason Neal for aid in covering the costs of drivers ed courses, practicum fees, drug testing for employment, CNA exams, academic materials, higher ed applications.  |
| <b>Anderson First Church of the Nazarene</b>     | <b>ADA Indoor Play Area</b>                                 | We are opening an indoor playscape, which is currently under construction, and set to open on May 1st 2022. We are also creating a separate area for children and youth with physical and developmental disabilities. This area will include three large play pieces that will include wheelchair assessable ramps, railings, and more. This area will be staffed 6 days a week so that parents, families, school staff, community members, can have some respite as they interact and play with our staff on site.   |
| <b>Anderson Preparatory Academy - Elementary</b> | <b>Elementary Journalism Club &amp; Fifth Grade NewsMag</b> | APA Journalism Club, Watermelon Press, and NewsMag is one of APA's efforts to provide an exciting and challenging dimension to our elementary curriculum and extracurricular activities. The Journalism Club, initially open to 4 th and 5 th graders, will examine the different forms of media (print, radio, television, websites, etc.). Students will learn about photojournalism, the writing and editing of news and information stories, how to conduct an interview, and "vet" sources. Through project-based learning and a 9-week investigative curriculum, they will examine the difference between fact (hard news) and opinion (an editorial). They will also learn about ethics in media. The Watermelon Press and publication of a school based NewsMag, will give 5 th graders the opportunity to meet the requirements of employment by apply for positions with a publication they will develop, name, and frame. Our program will help them take interests into real-world professional positions in the areas of writing, editing, photography, design, and production, as well as marketing and management. |
| <b>Anderson Symphony Orchestra</b>               | <b>Anderson Symphony for All</b>                            | The Anderson Symphony Orchestra (ASO) believes that art is for everyone. As such, we are creating a program in which ASO tickets are dispersed at no charge to thirty children and thirty parents or guardians for each of our remaining 4 concerts of this season so they may attend a concert and be exposed to the arts. Tickets will be given for distribution to groups and organizations such as The Geater Center, Department of Child Services, foster care organizations, CASA, schools, and organizations that serve differently-abled individuals. Tickets will be reserved for children who normally would not have access to the Anderson Symphony Orchestra and/or who may not have felt invited to the table. The Anderson Symphony is for all.  |

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| <b>Duck Creek Center for the Arts</b>         | <b>Duck Creek Season of Shows</b>  | Elwood has long struggled to provide cultural and artistic opportunities to its citizens. We would like to expand our efforts for the 2022 season by producing four full length plays and one play for youth of the community. We would also like to bring in quality music concerts and entertainment opportunities. We are currently producing Dicken's "A Christmas Carol" and have seen encouraging reaction to the effort. As we renovate the old Duck Creek-Boone Elementary School to be the future site of our art classes and performances, we are using the Elwood Opera House for our shows and educational opportunities.  |
| <b>Elwood YMCA</b>                            | <b>Elwood YMCA Furnace Replacement</b>   | The Elwood YMCA current has a non-working furnace for the facility which was installed in 1990.  |
| <b>Ford Street United Methodist Church</b>    | <b>Community Cafe</b>  | Ford Street Church has held a vision of its current worship space being adapted to become a space to better serve the community, and not just the church membership. In 2021 with the construction of a new sanctuary the dreams for the current worship space began to be more fully articulated by the congregation, staff, and a team convened for the purpose. The concept of a coffee shop or cafe open to the community mornings every day became the vision of this space and how best to serve Lapel. Funding will be used to provide start up equipment and consultation for the church's cafe team.  |
| <b>Guardian Advocates Inc</b>                 | <b>Guardianship activities promoting companionship, well being and decreasing isolation, loneliness.</b> | A combination of three (3) offerings to fulfill the varying capabilities & preferences to promote companionship & wellbeing of clients , isolated in facilities and under likely future lockdowns: First , iPads/tablets will be purchased to provide connection to doctors, volunteers, staff, libraries, video/movies, music, window shopping, companionship for our female clients in facilities & group homes, are again restricting visits & imposing lockdowns due to Covid19. Also to promote companionship & wellbeing: music therapy for dementia clients as studies show it increases wellbeing.   |
| <b>Habitat for Humanity of Madison County</b> | <b>Media/Marketing Campaign</b>  | This grant request is for the development of videos to support a marketing/outreach campaign geared to developing support for on-going and new programming at Habitat for Humanity. This includes: This funding will be used to create short informational videos for marketing and educational purposes.  |
| <b>Little Red Door Cancer Agency</b>          | <b>Little Red Door Support Services</b>  | Support Services programming, specially funds will be used to provide both transportation assistance to chemotherapy and radiation treatments and nutritional support solely to clients in Madison County. Transportation assistance is provided in the form of gas cards, which ensure our clients have the gas to make it to every chemotherapy and radiation treatment, helping them fully access and complete their treatment programs and achieve the best possible treatment outcomes. Nutritional assistance is provided to clients in active treatment in the form of high-calorie liquid medical food. This serves as a meal replacement and helps clients get the nutrition and calories they need when facing side-effects of treatment like unhealthy weight loss, chronic fatigue and the inability to eat solid food due to stomach pain or swelling in the mouth or throat. |
| <b>More Than Conquerors</b>                   | <b>STEM &amp; Craft Kits</b>   | MTC provides year adolescent and teen programs throughout the year. We run our free after school program and a low cost summer camp, and time in the year these programs are not available we organize service projects and take groups of students weekly to serve organizations around the county. Our programs are always wholistic, meaning we focus on serving the whole student, providing opportunities for growth spiritually, physically, mentally, and socially. We believe hands-on learning is greatly needed in the current screen heavy, virtual, and standardized test focused climate of public education. To offer more engaging learning opportunities for our students, we are seeking funds to help us buy age appropriate STEM and craft kits.  |

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| <p><b>Redefined Life Inc.</b></p>              | <p><b>The Village Mentoring Community</b></p>  | <p>The Village provides opportunities for participants to engage in intensive self-reflection and develop positive critical thinking habits. The program uses holistic, intergenerational, and asset based mentoring practices. Mentors and mentees meet weekly for two hours over a period of 10 months. Presently, mentors consist of men between the ages of 19-60. Each mentoring session consist of dinner time, team building activities, man talk discussion, and a reflection time at the end.</p>  |
| <p><b>The Gathering of the Queens Inc.</b></p> | <p><b>The 765 Food Desert Project</b></p>      | <p>The 765 Desert Project host a drive through/walk up mobile food giveaway. Families come and receive food items, essentials, fresh produce to assist them during the week. The project has become known throughout the community and many families will call through availability of contact information to receive items if they are not able to attend. The purpose is community helpin community, makin available the resoources we have to a community witout a grocery store for over 6-7 years. Many citizens in the desert are low income and the only sources of food come from Dollar Stores or Fast Foods. These sources are non-nutritional, very costly and detrimental to the community. The 765 Food Desert Project offers an alternative by hosting a food giveaway with nutritional items that are not offered in the area.</p> |
| <p><b>Wesley Free Methodist Church</b></p>     | <p><b>Community playground resurfacing</b></p> | <p>Many neighborhood children and families make use the church playground. Over the past ten years, the wood mulch base has deteriorated, and we'd like to replace it with rubber mulch - which would be much more enduring and safe for the children of our community. This funding will assist in the purchase of materials, and skilled workers in our congregation would provide the labor.</p>   |
| <p><b>Willow Place Shelter for Women</b></p>   | <p><b>Shelter Expansion</b></p>                | <p>Willow Place is the only emergency shelter for women in Anderson. There are eight rooms available for expansion. This funding will add windows to rooms currently being remodeled, including the addition of fire suppression systems, etc... The local Fire Marshall will not allow occupancy in these rooms until windows are added.</p>   |